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November 7, 1953

My dear Mr. Yarborough,

The situation regarding your troubles with the local authorities is still very confused and we are unable, at this time, to offer much hope of an early settlement. However, we are still making every effort to assist you and hope that we will achieve some success in the near future. We will keep you informed.

With regard to those persons who were the subjects of your letter of September 24th and my letter of October 21st. A further detailed check on the status of them all as well as those not listed in your letter but nevertheless dependent upon you has revealed the following.

None, with the sole exception of the Hungarian Lady, can expect to leave for the U.S. within the foreseeable future. Those who have registered at the Consulate will remain on the list and visas will be issued their quota numbers are reached. However, this cannot be for several years and we feel that you must make other arrangements for them for the immediate future.

The Hungarian Lady may become eligible in the near future because her registration date was 1948. She will be informed immediately when a quota number is received. However, she need not remain in this country as her papers can be transferred to any other Consulate without effecting her status in any way. This is also true regarding the papers of all the others.

We realize that the above described prospectus is not encouraging and are reluctant to inform you at this particular time when you have so many other problems. However, in view of the attitude of the local authorities we feel that you should be in a position to make definite plans to leave this country with all of your friends as soon as the major obstacles are removed. This being the case, we do not want you to build any plans around the possibility that some or all of these friends will be able to accompany you and your immediate family when you leave for the U.S. They must be admitted in full conformance with existing U.S. laws and unfortunately these require that each await his turn.

If there should be any change which will permit some or all to enter sooner be assured that we will inform you and do all that we can to expedite their arrival. Until then, we are sure you will be able to make alternative arrangements elsewhere.

Yours sincerely,

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